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for: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SECURE DISTRIBUTION AND EVALUATION OF COMPRESSED DIGITAL INFORMATION**

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- ☒ 7 sheets of formal drawings consisting of 8 figures.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to: International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504
- ☐ A certified copy of application Serial No.:
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement.
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